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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND**

**EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY
COMMISSION**

Plaintiff,

and

KATHY KOCH

Intervenor/Plaintiff,

v.

LA WEIGHT LOSS CENTERS, INC.

Defendant.

CASE NO.: WDQ 02-CV-648

JURY DEMANDED

STIPULATION AND ORDER OF DISMISSAL

WHEREAS, the parties have entered into a Settlement Agreement dated November 21, 2005, which provides for the filing of this Stipulation and Order of Dismissal;

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between the Intervenor/Plaintiff, Kathy Koch and Defendant, LA Weight Loss Centers, Inc., that Kathy Koch voluntarily dismisses all her claims in this civil action, with prejudice and without costs to either party.

**SO STIPULATED:
FOR KATHY KOCH**

OBER, KALER, GRIMES & SHRIVER

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**SO STIPULATED:
FOR LA WEIGHT LOSS CENTERS, INC.**

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11/29/05 U.S.D.J.

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Honorable William D. Quarles, Jr.
United States District Court for the
District of Maryland
Garmatz Federal Courthouse
101 W. Lombard Street, Chambers 3A
Baltimore, Maryland 21201

Re: EEOC, et al. v. LA Weight Loss Centers, Inc.
Civil No.: WDQ-02-cv-648

Dear Judge Quarles:

Kathy C. Koch and LA Weight Loss Centers, Inc. have agreed to confidential terms of settlement of all issues between those two parties. The EEOC is expected to proceed in the remaining litigation on its claims against LA Weight Loss, and is not a party to the confidential settlement agreement existing between Ms. Koch and LA Weight Loss.

The Court's consideration is appreciated to order the dismissal of Ms. Koch's claim, with prejudice, as indicated in the enclosed Stipulation. Please call me or Bruce Harrison with any questions.

Respectfully,



Pamela J. White

PJW/cks
Enclosure

cc: David E. Landau, Esquire (via fax and U.S. mail)
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